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Summary statement by the Secretary-General on matters of which the Security Council is seized and on the stage reached in their consideration

Addendum

Pursuant to rule 11 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the Secretary-General is submitting the following summary statement.

The list of items of which the Security Council is seized is contained in documents S/2002/30 of 15 March 2002, S/2002/30/Add.1 of 22 March 2002, S/2002/30/Add.2 of 25 March 2002, S/2002/30/Add.3 of 26 March 2002, S/2002/30/Add.5 of 1 April 2002 and S/2002/30/Add.13 of 9 April 2002.

During the week ending 11 May 2002, the Security Council took action on the following items:

The situation in Liberia (*see* S/22110/Add.3 and Corr.1; S/23370/Add.18 and 46; S/25070/Add.12, 23, 32 and 38; S/1994/20/Add.15, 20, 27, 36 and 41; S/1995/40/Add.1, 14, 25, 36 and 44; S/1996/15/Add.3, 4, 14, 18, 21, 34 and 47; S/1997/40/Add.12, 25 and 30; S/2001/15/Add.10 and 45; and S/2002/30/Add.8; *see also* S/2001/15/Add.7 and 10)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 4526th meeting, held on 6 May 2002 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the letter dated 19 April 2002 from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1343 (2001) concerning Liberia addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2002/470) and the third report of the Secretary-General pursuant to resolution 1343 (2001) regarding Liberia (S/2002/494).

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution (S/2002/514) that had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/2002/514 and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1408 (2002) (for the text, see S/RES/1408 (2002); to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-seventh Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 2002*).

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Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Transitional Administration in East Timor pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, section A (*see* S/2001/15/Add.43; and S/2002/30/Add.3; *see also* S/11593/Add.50 and 51; S/11935/Add.15 and 16; S/1999/25/Add.17, 22, 25, 30, 33-36, 42 and 50; S/2000/40/Add.4, 11, 16, 20, 25, 29, 30, 34, 35, 37, 38, 40 and 46-48; S/2001/15/Add.4, 5, 14, 20, 31, 34, 37 and 44; and S/2002/30/Add.4, 16 and 17)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 4527th (private) meeting, held on 6 May 2002 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

At the close of the meeting, in accordance with rule 55 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the following communiqué was issued through the Secretary-General in place of a verbatim record:

> "On 6 May 2002, the Security Council, pursuant to annex II, section A, of resolution 1353 (2001), held its 4527th meeting in private with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Transitional Administration in East Timor (UNTAET).
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> "The members of the Council had a constructive exchange of views with representatives of participating troop-contributing countries."

Children and armed conflict (*see* S/1998/44/Add.26; S/1999/25/Add.33; S/2000/40/Add.29 and 31; and S/2001/15/Add.47)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 4528th meeting, held on 7 May 2002 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended invitations under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Olara Otunnu, Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Children and Armed Conflict, Graça Machel, former Minister of Education for Mozambique, former Independent Expert of the Secretary-General on the Impact of Armed Conflict on Children, and author of the recent book entitled *The Impact of War on Children*, and to Carol Bellamy, Executive Director of the United Nations Children's Fund.

The President stated that, following consultations of the Council, he had been authorized to make a statement on behalf of the Council and read out the text of that statement (for the text, see S/PRST/2002/12; to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-seventh Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 2002*).